

Rajasthan during the last three years;

(b) whether there is any proposal to set up new public sector units in Rajasthan during the Eighth Five year plan;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI P.K. THUNGON): (a) to (d). There are six Central Public Sector Enterprises having their registered Offices in the State of Rajasthan as on 31-3-1991. During the last three years the following major projects were taken up by the enterprises in Rajasthan:

- (i) Ramura Agucha Mine
- (ii) Chanderiya Lead-Zinc Smelter
- (iii) Sodium Sulphate Plant
- (iv) Iron Fortified salt Plant

Setting up of new undertakings in the Central Public Sector are being kept into consideration the techno-economic feasibility of the project and balanced regional development of the Country. The Eighth Plan has not been finalised.

[English]

Package for Tiny Sector

8353. SHRI R. SURENDER REDDY: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government are formulating a comprehensive policy for the tiny sector; if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the Government propose

to extend all concessions and incentives available to the small sector to the tiny sector also;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether the Government also propose to promote agro-base tiny industries to make the villages self-sufficient; and

(e) if so, the measures being considered in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (PROF. P.J. KURIEN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (e). Details of the package for the tiny sector are being worked out in consultation with the concerned Ministries/Departments.

Programme Implementation Report of States

8354. SHRI ARJUN CHARAN SETHI: Will the Minister of PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have set up any agency to verify the correctness of the reports submitted by the State Governments regarding implementation of programmes;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the basis on which such agencies assess the success of the concerned project?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI H.R. BHARDWAJ): (a) to (c). The information is being collected and will be placed on the Table of the House.